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RESPONSE TO THE REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION

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SIR:

In response to the restriction requirement dated August 13, 2008, applicants provisionally elect with traverse the invention of Group I.

Applicants request that the Examiner consider the following.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.